g. East St. Louis, issued a g.

The proposal is untimely in my mbarrassment to the adminisbut in jeopardizing our le-

rould play into the hands of those ests and nations which favor said not help the prostrate coun-ies of central Europe which owe ney. I think we should what we can to stabilize condias in Europe, but we can do that ough diplomatic negotiations. A nce held in this country, giving foreign powers reason to sope for cancellation, would be the tht of folly, in my view. Others of Same View.

resentatives Wheeler of Marion. nd McKenzie of Elizabeth, took ractically the same view. They are all opposed to the calling of a conference and declared they will vote against any resolution or bill farm property in Rock Island and proposing it. Other Republican near vicinity during 1922 by mem-

an, president of the organization.

The attitude of Representative Mr. Moran states, however, that bly opposed to an economic conerence, and believes that it would involve this country inextricably NORRIS TO WED elth Europe's difficulties. econcllable" against American inrvention abroad and regards the sed conference as a "reversal f American policy."

Representative Edwin B. Brooks, Newton, is the only downstate Illi-noisan regarded as friendly to the onference plan. He is in Illinois at present and his precise views ould not be learned.

Both Illinois senators this week

opposed the calling of a conferan caucus which decided to block continue to oppose it if it is revived in the new congress after

Paris, Dec. 30 .- Reports that the week's would participate in week's conference of pre-piers were eliminated by authorita-ive information that the American dministration regards the meeting a purely European affair.

RIALTO

SUNDAY Derethy Dalton in THE WOMAN WHO

WALKED ALONE This is her latest and great est love drama. ALSO CHRISTY COMEDY

NEW YEAR'S Coatinuous Shows 2 to 11 pm Betty Compson

THE BONDED WOMAN

THE MAGIC CUP



ment whole-heartedly for but could be expected to gith the rank and file of the atic members of the senate who favor it, as a stepasse who favor it, as a stepasse to American participation to European affairs. The ingress are will enter the new congress of the new congress of the senate of the s

this charge. Carhan disappeared from Rock

following a raid of his saloon by was of the medicated variety. He claimed that it contained turpentine

was found guilty.

The grand jury questioned Carhan about the sale of liquor in his
place. According to the indictment
he denied selling or keeping liquor

Dealers Say That New Year Will Buying Is Meager.

price of higher grades of coal the first of the year, although some of slightly in price, dealers announced today. The dealers expect that the demand for coal will increase with the coming of the new year, but the

year." one of the dealers said, "to create more of a demand for coal. (Special dispatch to The Argus.)
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Washington, Dec. 30.—"For the goblins will git you if you don't watch out."

In a position to say, but it is a lact that the reports from the West Indicate that all of the big fleet which cleared from the various ports in the fortnight before goblins will git you if you don't watch out."

In a position to say, but it is a lact create more of a demand for coal. At the present time the buying public is purchasing coal from hand to mouth—one and two tons at a continue.

Christmas is back ready to load watch out."

"Coal men blame the railroads are compared to the coal of the big public is purchasing coal from hand to mouth—one and two tons at a compared to the coal of the big public is purchasing coal from hand to mouth—one and two tons at a coal of the big public is purchasing coal from hand to mouth—one and two tons at a coal of the big public is purchasing coal from the various public is purchasing the public is purchasing coal from the various public is purchasing coal from t

for the scarcity of coal," he con-tinued. While in turn the railroad men blame the coal mine opera-tors. The fact remains that the

Fulton county coal has jumped 25 cents the past week. It now sells at \$8.50 and \$8.75 a ton.

Springfield 3x6 inch egg coal is if cash is paid within 10 days. Southern Illinois coal is \$10.50 per ton. National and Livingston coals are both \$9 a ton, with a 50 cent discount for cash in 10 days.

## TACKENBERG AGAIN RAIL CLERKS' HEAD

so the carefully laid out method of procedure which was expected to land in the net many nationally a bottle less than the imported arknown figures probably will prove ticle, and there is a great abundance of Canadian ale which is said to have arrived disguised as Christmas the effect of compelling many mass the effect of compell Thursday night. The meeting was held in Odd Fellows' lodge and the other officers are:

Vice president-John Reidy. Secretary—Harry Mohr. Recording secretary—Illsley Rex-

Sergeant-at-arms - William . Du-Chaplain-Henry Asplund. Guard-R. W. Garnett.

Paper that can be washed with soap and water in a tub, has been invented by a Japanese.

## Classified Adages

IGHT gains maké a heavy purse. Dollars saved here and there through the A-B-C Classified A d s make up a good sum in time.

Read them today!



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# New Years Resolutions

NEW YEAR RESOLVES offer a valid proof that their makers are deterred neither by shame nor by cowardice from the pursuit of an ideal, that neither peacock vanity for his superficial endowment nor the spineless yielding of a will, untrained to resistance, enter into the architecture of his future.

I—In these anxious days, when the Nation is concerned with the Americanization of the unamalgamated, it were the part of wisdom in the teachers and patrons of civic enlightenment to lay well to heart the sentmient of Ruskin, that true patriotism consists in this: that EACH ONE KEEP HIS OWN PORCH AND DOOR-YARD CLEAN.

> II-Five minutes daily, divided between a fearless scrutiny of our own motives, and prayers for strength to ennoble them, five minutes daily of intensive meditation of the wisdom available in the world's great books, may easily raise purposeful Nineteen Hundred Twenty-three, worlds above its shiftless forbears.

> > A good thought a day, keeps the devil away.

These ennobling thoughts offered by Rev. P. H. Durkin, pastor of St. Josephs church, Rock Island, are gladly published for your consideration by Your Street Car

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# YEAR'S REALTY TRANSFERS GO TO \$1,500,000

mate Business in Residence, Business and Form Lands.

nembers of the delegation, includ-ng Graham of Aledo, Ireland of Peoria, and Moore of Mont'cello, board, totaled \$1,114,200, according understood to take a similar to partial reports to James A. Mor-

portant because he was in close touch with Senator Borah during the League of Nations debate. King let it be known that he is unalterhe had not been able to get a report

Chicago Newspaper Artist and Delora Angell to Be Made One Next Autumn.

Pasadena, Calif., Dec. 30. — The marriage of Miss Delora Angell, posed the calling of a conference. They attended the Republiin caucus which decided to block insideration of the Borah amendent, and indicated that they will attinue to oppose it if it is reived in the new congress after arch 4.

U. S. KEEPS OUT.

Paris, Dec. 30.—Reports that the conference of Miss Delora Angell, heirass to the estate of her late untie, John W. Gates, estimated at \$20,000,000, to Lester Norris, Chicago newspaper artist, son of a furniture dealer at St. Charles, Il., a suburb of Chicago, probably will take place some time next fall, according to her father, R. F. Angell.

The betress, her father and mother. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilcox, all of St. Charles, have come to south-

of St. Charles, have come to south-ern California for the winter and are at the Angell residence in Alta-

and this talk about a order of a gagement is bosh, said Mr. and Mrs. Angell. "Delora and Lester are going right ahead with their plans to marry, and they have the full approval of us both. In fact we are mighty pleased about it. Lester used to be in a class taught by Mrs. Angell.

by Mrs. Angell. "Just because no definite date has been set for the wedding, some people have supposed it was all off. But it is not. The date is still to be decided upon. It will probably be some time next fall. It is behave their own home built before taking up housekeeping. They intend to live in St. Charles, where they have always lived. They haven't any intention, so far as I know, of building a home in California. At least, they have not told us about any such plans."

Norris has been described as "the childhood exactinent" of Miss.

"the childhood sweetheart" of Miss Baltimore, Md., Dec. 30.—The sum of \$200,000 for the erection of a summer White house, for the use of the president of the United States was left to the government by the late J. Wilson Leakin, hwyer.

whose will was probated. There are 41,606,000 men, wo and children who work for sale or wages in this country.

## Federal Agents All Set To Make New Year's Eve As Dry As Sahara Desert price will not advance if their expectations are fulfilled, they say. "I think that the weather will be cold enough after the first of the

Its entry into the world is to be trees seemingly designed for the far different than a year that has holiday trade. These trees were gone before. Trusted agents of the sold for a song after the whisky had enforcement bureau in every city in been secured and carefully hidden

made to keep dark the actual plans. up to as much as the traffic would But when so many have to be taken bear. But right now that is not so.

people to make new arrangements for their celebration. There will But the prohibition enforcement of

to observe the warning for the most President Harding and certain gov

rather foolish to take chances on losing any of it.

So the restaurant, club and hotel celebrations will be entirely within the law. But the regular Washing the law are a part of the official set, have perfected their plans for a real good time. It will be far from the crowd in the homes of members of the party who have agreed to do their bit to checkmate the officials who would keep John Barleycorn in his proper place on the one day in the year when, in days gone past, he was the most potent factor in its observation.

Plenty of Liquer.

Plenty of Liquor.

The available supply is large. No one knows just where it is, but the confidential reports which have reached Major Haynes indicate that there is more liquor—bad and good—scattered throughout the country than in months.

The description of Liquor.

Police court news. But the secret is now out, and if anyone is arrested in this connection, they will have only themselves to blame for it.

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scattered throughout the country than in months.

The dense fogs which have shrouded the entire Atlantic coast for the last week or more aided in this. The rum running feet has been able to land its cargoes with vary little effort in the hundreds of inlets that mark the coast from the Gulf of Mexico to the Gulf of St. Lawrence. But how much was brought in by these craft no one is

watch out."

They are getting ready today, and officers rolling in wealth.

These same "goblins" of Major R.
A. Haynes, to whom has been encities received a very large supply trusted the task of compelling obedience to the 18th amendment and the Valetand enforcement act. the Volstead enforcement act. From the Volstead enforcement act. From adian border. The bootlegger took the Atlantic to the Pacific and from the Great Lakes to the Gulf, the word has gone forth.

This is to be a dry New Year's.

This is to be a dry New Year's.

The bootlegger took advantage of the holiday to load then the control of the hard liquors and then to cover the bard liquors and then to cover them up with spruce and pine the world is to be trees seemingly designed for the local took advantage of the holiday to load the seem of the seemingly designed for the local took and will be much scarcer when the demand increases."

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the country have been warned that The advent of so much liquor has results are what are to count from had a depressing effect on the now on. The crive to keep intoxi-cants from public places is on. It s to be the real thing if the men make necessary the extensive use who ought to know, tell the truth, of "hooch" for the purpose of cel-Of course, every effort has been chration, prices have been pushed into a secret, that secret soon is one | Scotch whisky of half a dozen well which half the country knows. And known brands is on sale here in

for their celebration. There will be the usual dances and midnight dinners and there will be a very brief period of noise and excitement in the hotel dining rooms, in the cezy supper clubs and places of that sort. But there will be an utter absence of intoxicants in most of these places.

Even the people who are used to "carrying it on the hip" have been tipped off to leave their stock at home. And they can be expected to observe the warning for the most of the so-called "leading citizens" who in the past have been the best customers of the bootleggers.

At the recent now-wow between spresident Harding and certain gov-

part, inasmuch as the supply costs ernors the suggestion was made real money and it would be at least that if a number of well known

